

Application By Affidavit for Admission to the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee

[Mail-In Form]

Name _____
(Print name as you want shown on certificate)

Business Address _____
City & State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Address _____
City & State _____ Zip Code _____

Daytime Phone _____

Court(s) of last resort the applicant is admitted to practice _____

Is the applicant engaged in the practice of law? _____

School and year from which legal degree(s) received _____

Board of Professional Responsibility Registration Number: _____

Application affirms that he/she possesses all qualifications and meets all requirements for admission.

_____ (applicant's signature)

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF _____
COUNTY OF _____

OATH OF ADMISSION

I, _____, do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the State of Tennessee, and that I will truly and honestly demean myself in the practice of my profession to the best of my skill and abilities, so help me God.

(Applicant's Signature)

Subscribed and sworn before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

AFFIX SEAL HERE

(Judge or Clerk of Court of Record)

Court of Record

STATEMENT OF SPONSORS

We, _____ and _____, being members of the Bar of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, state that _____ (the applicant) is personally known to us, that he/she possesses all the qualifications required for admission to the Bar and that we have examined his/her personal statement and believe this person to be of good professional and moral character.

(Sponsor's Signature)

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

BPR#: _____

(Sponsor's Signature)

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

BPR#: _____

Return this affidavit with your check in the amount of \$25.00
made payable to:

The Clerk of the Supreme Court of Tennessee
to the Clerk's Office as follows:

Supreme Court Clerk
401 7th Avenue North
Nashville, TN 37219

**Procedures for Admission of Attorneys by Affidavit
pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 6(2)**

1. If you wish to seek admission to the Supreme Court by affidavit pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 6(2), you must first fill out an Application for Admission by Affidavit form, which is enclosed. If you do not have a form, you may obtain one from the Appellate Court Clerk's Office or print one off from the following website: <http://www.tsc.state.tn.us/geninfo/AppellClerk/AppellateClerksWeb.htm#ApForms>.
2. In order to complete this form you must have the following: (1) temporary law license or a permanent law license from the Board of Law Examiners; (2) Board of Professional Responsibility number; and (3) check payable to the Appellate Court Clerk in the amount of \$25.00.
3. In addition, you must also obtain signatures from two licensed practicing lawyers in Tennessee.
4. Once you have completed the form, you may take the oath of office from any state trial court judge in Tennessee or any state trial court clerk in Tennessee. The judge or clerk must sign the form as indicated. You may also contact the Office of the Appellate Court Clerk in Nashville, Knoxville, or Jackson, and we will make arrangements for either the Clerk or one of the Chief Deputy Clerks to administer the oath.
5. After the oath is administered, the fee paid and the affidavit application submitted, you will be admitted to practice law before the Tennessee Supreme Court and all other state courts in Tennessee. The Appellate Court Clerk's Office will send you a Certificate of Admission with the date of your admission on the certificate. This certificate and date are important if you wish to later practice in other states by comity and need a Certificate of Good Standing.
6. If you have any questions regarding admission by affidavit, please contact the Appellate Court Clerk's Office at one of the following numbers:

Nashville	615-741-2681
Knoxville	865-594-6700
Jackson	731-423-5840

Michael W. Catalano
Clerk of the Appellate Courts

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